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such claim limitations. Since Claims 2-11 are dependent on independent Claim 1, pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 112, ¶4, they incorporate by reference all the limitations of the claim to which they refer. Therefore, the rejection of the dependent Claims 2-11 has also been overcome.

In view of the above comments, it is respectfully submitted that Claims 1-11 are clearly distinguished from the cited art and are patentable.

New Claims

Applicant has added new Claims 12-30 to further define the unique invention. In particular, new Claims 12-19 are dependent on Claim 1. These dependent claims provide further limitations regarding the remote interface and the microcontrollers. New independent Claims 20 and 23 recite a microcontroller bus and a plurality of microcontrollers connected to the bus, wherein one of the microcontrollers resets the computer. With regard to 35 U.S.C. § 112, ¶1, these new claims are supported by Figures 1, 2, 8, 9, 12 and 15, and by the text associated with these figures. Applicant submits that the new Claims 12-30 are also patentable.

Conclusion

By this amendment, Applicant has amended the specification and added new claims. In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, Applicant respectfully submits that Claims 1-30 of the above-identified application are in condition for allowance. However, if the Examiner finds any further impediment to allowing all claims that can be resolved by telephone, the Examiner is respectfully requested to call the undersigned.

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